

# PA CBWI Priority Core Ranking with Practices

## Natural Resources Conservation Service

### Application Ranking Summary

#### Priority Core

<b>Program:</b>	<b>Ranking Date:</b>	<b>Application Number:</b>
<b>Ranking Tool:</b> Priority Core	<b>Applicant:</b>	
<b>Final Ranking Score:</b>	<b>Address:</b>	
<b>Planner:</b>	<b>Telephone:</b>	
<b>Farm Location:</b>		

#### National Priorities Addressed

Issue Questions	Responses
1. Will the treatment you intend to implement using EQIP result in the improvement of water quality by controlling erosion and reducing sediment and nutrient levels in ground and surface water?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
2. Will the treatment restore, enhance, and preserve soil, air, and related resources in the Chesapeake Bay watershed?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
3. Will the treatment you intend to implement for improving water quantity using EQIP result in a considerable reduction in water use?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
4. Will the treatment you intend to implement using EQIP result in habitat conservation, restoration, and enhancement where there is significant ecological value?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
5. Has "special considerations" been given to the following river basins – The Susquehanna River, The Shenandoah River, The Potomac River (including North and South), and The Patuxent River?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>

#### State Issues Addressed

Issue Questions	Responses
1. Does the applicant have a current conservation plan (plan that adequately addresses soil erosion and water quality) for the land that is being offered for enrollment?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>
2. Is the applicant ready, willing, and able to implement/complete the contract by December 2010, maintenance year 2011 (December 2012 if conversion to Continuous No-Till System (3 year 329) is being implemented through the proposed contract, maintenance year 2013)?	Yes <input type="radio"/> or No <input type="radio"/>

#### Local Issues Addressed

Issue Questions	Responses
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#### Land Use:

Resource Concerns	Practices
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#### Ranking Score

Efficiency:
Local Issues:
State Issues:
National Issues:
<b>Final Ranking Score:</b>

This ranking report is for your information. It does not in any way guarantee funding. When funding becomes available, you will be notified if your application is selected for funding. Some changes to the application may be required before a final contract is awarded.

Notes:

<b>NRCS Representative:</b>	<b>Application Signature Not Required for Contract</b>
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Signature Date:	Development unless required by State policy:  Signature Date:
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## Resource Concerns and Practices

- Fish and Wildlife: Inadequate Cover/Shelter
  - Conservation Cover (327)
  - Riparian Forest Buffer (391)
  - Riparian Herbaceous Cover (390)
  - Tree/Shrub Establishment (612)
  - Upland Wildlife Habitat Management (645)
- Soil Condition: Organic Matter Depletion
  - Conservation Cover (327)
  - Conservation Crop Rotation (328)
  - Cover Crop (340)
  - Residue Mgmt-No-Till/Strip Till/Direct S (329)
  - Tree/Shrub Establishment (612)
- Soil Erosion: Classic Gully
  - Conservation Cover (327)
  - Critical Area Planting (342)
  - Diversion (362)
  - Grade Stabilization Structure (410)
  - Grassed Waterway (412)
  - Lined Waterway or Outlet (468)
  - Mulching (484)
  - Obstruction Removal (500)
  - Structure for Water Control (587)
  - Subsurface Drain (606)
  - Terrace (600)
  - Underground Outlet (620)
- Soil Erosion: Ephemeral Gully
  - Conservation Cover (327)
  - Critical Area Planting (342)
  - Diversion (362)

- Grade Stabilization Structure (410)
- Grassed Waterway (412)
- Lined Waterway or Outlet (468)
- Mulching (484)
- Obstruction Removal (500)
- Residue Mgmt-No-Till/Strip Till/Direct S (329)
- Structure for Water Control (587)
- Subsurface Drain (606)
- Terrace (600)
- Tree/Shrub Establishment (612)
- Underground Outlet (620)
- Soil Erosion: Sheet and Rill
  - Conservation Cover (327)
  - Conservation Crop Rotation (328)
  - Cover Crop (340)
  - Critical Area Planting (342)
  - Diversion (362)
  - Mulching (484)
  - Obstruction Removal (500)
  - Residue Mgmt-No-Till/Strip Till/Direct S (329)
  - Structure for Water Control (587)
  - Subsurface Drain (606)
  - Terrace (600)
  - Tree/Shrub Establishment (612)
  - Underground Outlet (620)
- Soil Erosion: Streambank
  - Conservation Cover (327)
  - Critical Area Planting (342)
  - Fence (382)
  - Grade Stabilization Structure (410)
  - Mulching (484)
  - Obstruction Removal (500)
  - Riparian Forest Buffer (391)
  - Riparian Herbaceous Cover (390)
  - Stream Crossing (578)
  - Subsurface Drain (606)
  - Tree/Shrub Establishment (612)
  - Underground Outlet (620)
- Water Quality: Excessive Nutrients and Organics in Groundwater
  - Conservation Cover (327)
  - Conservation Crop Rotation (328)
  - Cover Crop (340)
  - Diversion (362)
  - Feed Management (592)
  - Grassed Waterway (412)

- Nutrient Management (590)
- Obstruction Removal (500)
- Riparian Forest Buffer (391)
- Riparian Herbaceous Cover (390)

Water Quality: Excessive Nutrients and Organics in Surface Water

- Conservation Cover (327)
- Conservation Crop Rotation (328)
- Cover Crop (340)
- Critical Area Planting (342)
- Diversion (362)
- Feed Management (592)
- Fence (382)
- Grade Stabilization Structure (410)
- Grassed Waterway (412)
- Nutrient Management (590)
- Obstruction Removal (500)
- Pipeline (516)
- Residue Mgmt-No-Till/Strip Till/Direct S (329)
- Riparian Forest Buffer (391)
- Riparian Herbaceous Cover (390)
- Spring Development (574)
- Stream Crossing (578)
- Structure for Water Control (587)
- Tree/Shrub Establishment (612)
- Underground Outlet (620)
- Water Well (642)
- Watering Facility (614)

Water Quality: Excessive Suspended Sediment and Turbidity in Surface Water

- Conservation Cover (327)
- Conservation Crop Rotation (328)
- Cover Crop (340)
- Critical Area Planting (342)
- Diversion (362)
- Fence (382)
- Grade Stabilization Structure (410)
- Grassed Waterway (412)
- Nutrient Management (590)
- Obstruction Removal (500)
- Pipeline (516)
- Residue Mgmt-No-Till/Strip Till/Direct S (329)
- Riparian Forest Buffer (391)
- Riparian Herbaceous Cover (390)
- Spring Development (574)
- Stream Crossing (578)
- Structure for Water Control (587)

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Subsurface Drain (606)

Terrace (600)

Tree/Shrub Establishment (612)

Underground Outlet (620)

Watering Facility (614)

Water Quality: Harmful Temperatures of Surface Water

Fence (382)

Riparian Forest Buffer (391)